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Sir:

Pursuant to Rules 56 and 98, Applicants call the attention of the Patent Office to the references listed on the attached Form PTO 1449.

The references listed on the attached Form PTO 1449 include a September 30, 2005 Office action and references cited therein from co-pending app. no. 10/921,324. The September 30, 2005 Office action and its references were not submitted earlier since they came to Applicants after the pending rejection in the present application. Thus, it was considered more efficient for the USPTO to receive the IDS together with Applicant's response to the present Office action. The listed British reference corresponds to the JP reference cited in the September 30, 2005 Office action.

Applicants also enclose recently obtained cleaner copies of the below-listed three journal articles which are already of record.

D. Shipp, J.L. Wang, K. Matyjaszewski, Synthesis of Acrylate and Methacrylate

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Polymerization, Macromolecules 32, 1763-1766 (1999).

N. Hoogeveen, M. Cohen Stuart, G. Fleer, Novel Water-Soluble Block Copolymers

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Macromolecules Chem. Phys., 197, pg. 2553-2554 (1996).

US 6,251,849 to Jeschke et al. is also listed because it corresponds to DE19545630 already

of record.

Applicants present these references so the Patent Office may, in the first instance, determine

any relevancy thereof to the presently claimed invention, see Beckman Instruments, Inc. v.

Chemtronics, Inc., 439 F.2d 1369, 1380, 165 USPQ 355, 364 (5th Cir. 1970). Also see Patent Office

Rule 104. Applicants respectfully request these references be expressly considered during the

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